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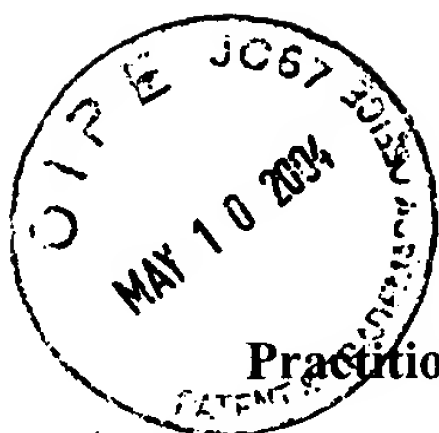
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, please  
consider the following amendments and remarks.



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY			
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA				
				RATE			
				ADDIT. FEE			
TOTAL	8	-	20	=	0	x	\$ 18.00 = \$ 0.00
INDEP.	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$ 86.00 = \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+	\$ 0.00 = \$ 0.00
TOTAL							
ADDIT. FEE							\$ 0.00


No additional fee for claims is required.

### FEE DEFICIENCY

5. An additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 50-0496.

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